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Application: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DECOUPLED THERMO-CATALYTIC POLLUTION CONTROL

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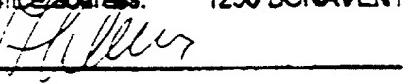
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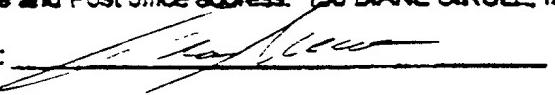
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